

CRIMINAL CAUSE FOR PLEADING

BEFORE: MAGISTRATE JUDGE LEVY DATE: 12/17/21

19 CR 280 United States v. Alam

DEFENDANT: Ashiquil Alam
X present ___not present X cust. ___bail

DEFENSE COUNSEL: Morris Fodeman
X present ___not present ___CJA X RET ___FD

AUSA: David Kessler CLERK: Alexia Ramirez

INTERPRETER: _____

RECORDING START / END TIME: 11:42-12:20 (Recorded via Zoom; Saved to F Drive

X CASE CALLED ___ DEFT'S FIRST APPEARANCE
DEFT: X SWORN ___ARRAIGNED X INFORMED OF RIGHTS

___ WAIVER OF INDICTMENT FILED
___ INFORMATION FILED
___ DEFT ENTER GUILTY PLEA TO THE INFORMATION
X DEFT. WITHDRAWS NOT GUILTY PLEA AND ENTERS GUILTY PLEA TO
COUNT 1 OF THE INDICTMENT
X COURT FINDS FACTUAL BASIS FOR THE PLEA
X SENTENCING SET AT A LATER DATE BY JUDGE DEARCY HALL
___ SENTENCING TO BE SET BY PROBATION
___ BAIL: ___SET ___CONT'D FOR DEFT. ___CONT'D IN CUSTODY
___ CASE ADJOURNED TO _____AT
___ TRANSCRIPT ORDERED:

OTHER: Under the CARES Act, Judge Levy found that it was not practicable or safe to hold the proceeding in person as a result of the pandemic, and that it was in the interest of justice to proceed remotely. All parties consented to the video proceeding. Pursuant to Federal Rule 11 of Criminal Procedure, the Magistrate Judge did administer the allocution. A finding has been made that the plea was made knowingly and voluntarily and the plea was not coerced. Judge Levy recommends that the plea of guilty be accepted.